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		Application Number	10/617946
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		First Named Inventor	Richard F. Gladney
		Art Unit	3673
		Examiner Name	R. G. Santos
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Applicant(s): Richard F. Gladney

Invention: PLASTIC MATTRESS FOUNDATION

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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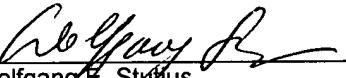
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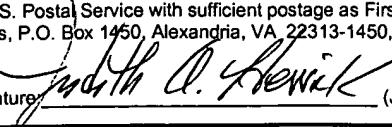
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